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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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01 FC:101	710.00 OP
02 FC:102	80.00 OP
03 FC:105	130.00 OP

**Filing Date Granted**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- o The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- o Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$80.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- o The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- o To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- o **The balance due by applicant is \$ 920.**

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

April 19, 2001

Applicant(s) : Steven Jay KING et al.  
For : WORKSTATION AND POWER AND  
TELECOMMUNICATION ARRANGEMENT THEREFOR

Serial No. : 09/718 556 Group: 3635  
Filed : November 22, 2000 Examiner: Unknown  
Atty. Docket No.: Haworth Case 284A

Box Missing Parts  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE

This is a response to the Patent Office communication mailed  
April 3, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed.

(Please see following pages.)

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited  
with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an  
envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
Washington, DC 20231, on April 19, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

*Liane L. Churney*  
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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.52, 1.53 and/or 1.62, this application was filed without at least one of the filing fee, the English language text and/or the oath or declaration, and was granted the serial number and filing date set forth in the caption of this response. Accordingly, the items listed below are being submitted herewith:

☒ Copy of PTO communication mailed April 3, 2001.

☒ Declaration or Oath (in two parts)

☐ Attached to the Declaration or Oath is a copy of the specification which was filed in the Patent Office in order to obtain a filing date for this application.

☐ Verified English translation of originally-filed foreign language text.

☐ Statement(s) re small entity (37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27):

☐ submitted previously

☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Statement(s) submitted herewith

☒ Amendment Before First Office Action

☒ A check for \$920.00 to cover fees.

☒ Acknowledgment Postal Card

☐ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on \_\_\_\_\_ Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

☐ A certified copy of the priority application is enclosed.

☒ The filing fee is as follows:

☐ Design Application - ☐ \$320.00 (large entity)  
☐ \$160.00 (small entity)

☒ Utility Application - as calculated below:

For	No. Filed	No. Extra	(X) LG Entity	RATE	( ) SM Entity	Fee
Basic Fee				\$710.00	\$355.00	\$710.00
Total Claims	(20 - 20 = 0)		x	\$ 18.00	x \$ 9.00	0.00
Indep. Claims	(4 - 3 = 1)		x	\$ 80.00	x \$ 40.00	80.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dep. Claim			+	\$270.00	+ \$135.00	0.00
* * * TOTAL FILING FEE * * *						\$790.00

☒ The surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for late filing of the basic filing fee and/or the oath or declaration is as follows:

☒ \$130.00 (large entity)

☐ \$ 65.00 (small entity)

- [ ] The fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) for filing a foreign language text:
- [ ] was submitted previously.
- [ ] is \$130.00 and is included in an enclosed check.
- [ ] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 06-1382 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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- [X] Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16
- [X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17
- [ ] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1382. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- [ ] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17
- [ ] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Atty. Docket No.: Haworth Case 284A

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Statement(s) re small entity status submitted previously.☐ Statement(s) re small entity status enclosed.☒ No additional filing fee is required.☐ The additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

For	No. Filed	No. Extra	(X) LG Entity	RATE	( ) SM Entity	Fee
Basic Fee				\$710.00	\$355.00	\$0.00
Total Claims	(20 - 20 = 0)		x \$	18.00	x \$	9.00
Indep. Claims	( 4 - 4 = 0)		x \$	80.00	x \$	40.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dep. Claim			+	\$270.00	+	\$135.00
* * * TOTAL FILING FEE * * *						\$ 0.00

☒ A Check for \$920.00 is enclosed to cover all fees.☒ Please credit any overpayment, or charge any additional filing fee or application processing fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 by this communication, to Deposit Account No. 06-1382. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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